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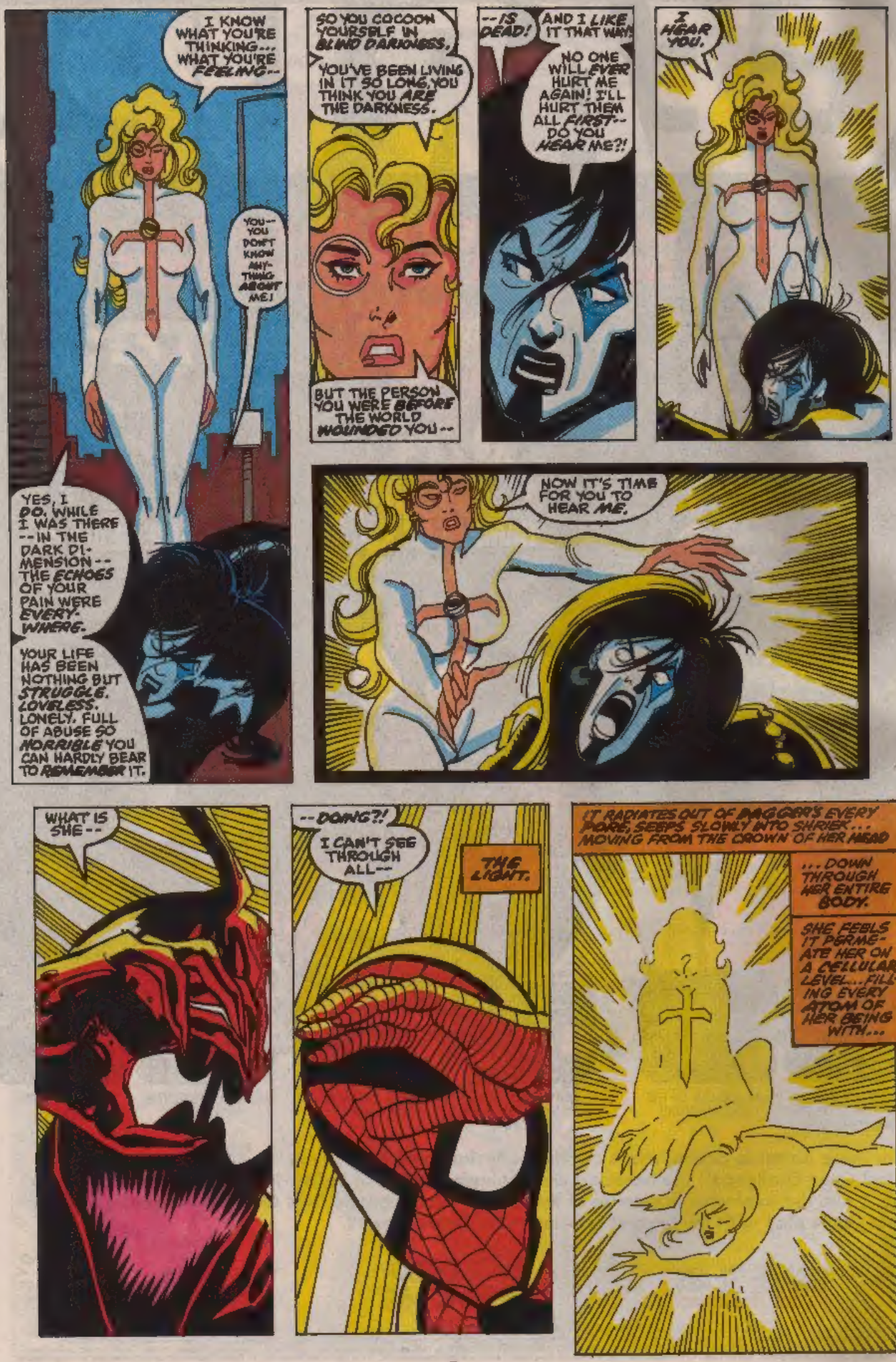
NO! IT CAN'T BE!
I KILLED HER!
I KILLED HER!!
DON'T GET ME WRONG, DAGGER-- I MEAN I'M HAPPY T'SEE YOU AND ALL--
-- BUT... AH... SHRIEK'S RIGHT. YOU'RE--
DEAD? I SUPPOSE I WAS... IN A SENSE.
SHRIEK'S ATTACK SOMEHOW CAUSED MY LIGHT-POWERS TO... FEED BACK. CONSUME ME... TRANSFORM ME.
I LITERALLY... BECAME THE LIGHT.
BUT THE ENERGY WAS TOO MUCH FOR ME TO CONTAIN. I... EXPLODED.* MY VERY ESSENCE UNRAVELED--
*IN WEB OF SPIDER-MAN #101. --ROB
ANOTHER FEW SECONDS AND I WOULD HAVE BEEN DEAD. LESS THAN DEAD; SCATTERED FOREVER... ON THE NIGHT WINDS. BUT I FOUND REFUGE--
--WITHIN CLOAK. I DREW MY FRAGMENTING CONSCIOUSNESS INTO HIS CAPE--
--DRIFTING THERE, ALL THIS TIME, IN THE DARK DIMENSION--
IT WAS ONLY MY DEEP CONNECTION TO TY... THE LOVE THAT BINDS US... THAT KEPT ME SANE. GAVE ME THE STRENGTH TO HANG ON--
"--LITERALLY PULL MYSELF BACK TOGETHER."
"WITHOUT HIM... WITHOUT OUR LOVE FOR EACH OTHER... I WOULD HAVE BEEN LOST."
NONONO NONO!!
I WAS IN THERE! IT'S HORRIBLE! HORRIBLE! NOTHING CAN HELP YOU! NOTHING CAN SAVE YOU!
LOVE LEAST OF ALL!
"MOTHER"... PLEASE-- DON'T UPSET YOURSELF LIKE THIS! I--
GET THIS STRAIGHT, CARRION--
I AM NOT YOUR MOTHER!!
SHRAAK!

YOU!
YOU!!
I'LL DO IT AGAIN!!
NO, WOMAN--
--YOU WON'T!
SHROOM!
I KILLED YOU ONCE, YOU LYING LITTLE WITCH--
--AND I'LL DO IT AGAIN, DO YOU HEAR ME?!
YOU WON'T HURT ME... OR ANYONE ELSE--
--EVER AGAIN!
SHUKKK
AYEEEE!!
THE LIGHT-DAGGERS PIERCE SHRIEK'S SKIN... AND YET THERE'S NO PHYSICAL PAIN.
STOP IT! STOP!
IT'S AS IF THEY ENTER HER ON A SUBTLER LEVEL, KNIFING THROUGH MIND/HEART/SOUL...
...SHINING A SPOTLIGHT ON FRAGMENTS OF MEMORY, SHARDS OF EMOTION, THAT HAVE LAIN BURIED...
...FOR MORE YEARS THAN SHE CAN REMEMBER.
WE HAVE TO HELP HER! WE HAVE TO--
TAKE IT EASY..."SON," LATELY, MOMMY-DEAREST HAS BEEN ACTING LIKE SHE CAN DO JUST FINE WITHOUT HER "HUBBY"--
--SO LET'S JUST SEE IF SHE'S THE WOMAN SHE THINKS SHE IS!
SPIDER-MAN-- WE'VE GOT TO--
WAY AHEAD OF YOU, CAP! I'M--
HEY... CLOAK-- WHADDAYOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?!
WHAT MUST TO BE DONE. IN ORDER FOR HER TO GET BEYOND THE TRAUMA OF HER "DEATH"--DAGGER MUST FACE HER "KILLER"...ALONE.
BUT, IF SHE NEEDS US--
I WILL BE THE FIRST ONE AT HER SIDE--!

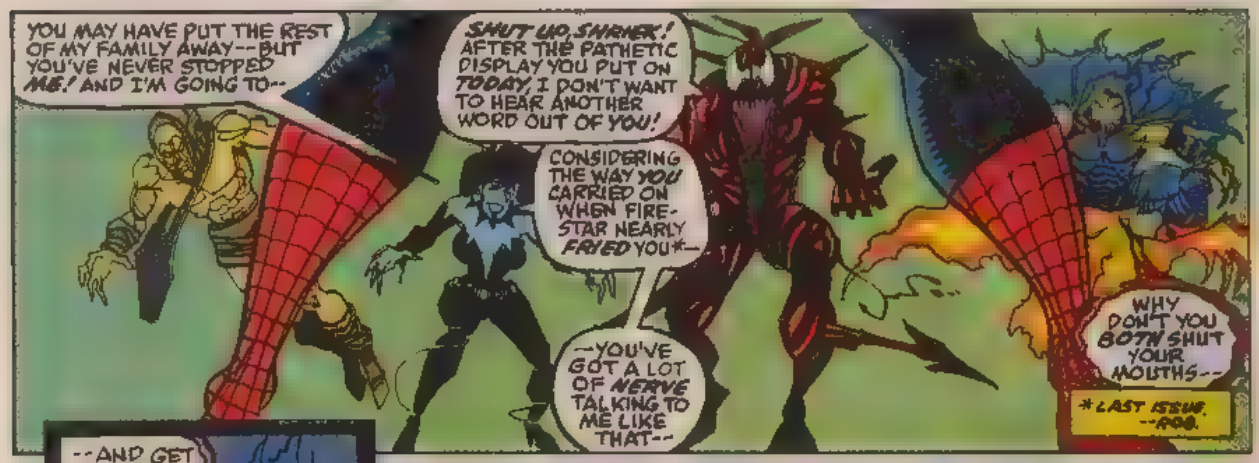

I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE THINKING... WHAT YOU'RE FEELING--
YOU-- YOU DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT ME!
YES, I DO. WHILE I WAS THERE --IN THE DARK DIMENSION-- THE ECHOES OF YOUR PAIN WERE EVERYWHERE.
YOUR LIFE HAS BEEN NOTHING BUT STRUGGLE. LOVELESS. LONELY. FULL OF ABUSE SO HORRIBLE YOU CAN HARDLY BEAR TO REMEMBER IT.
SO YOU COCOON YOURSELF IN BLIND DARKNESS.
YOU'VE BEEN LIVING IN IT SO LONG, YOU THINK YOU ARE THE DARKNESS.
BUT THE PERSON YOU WERE BEFORE THE WORLD WOUNDED YOU --
--IS DEAD!
AND I LIKE IT THAT WAY!
NO ONE WILL EVER HURT ME AGAIN! I'LL HURT THEM ALL FIRST-- DO YOU HEAR ME?!
I HEAR YOU.
NOW IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO HEAR ME.
WHAT IS SHE--
--DOING?!
I CAN'T SEE THROUGH ALL--
THE LIGHT.
IT RADIATES OUT OF MAGGORY'S EVERY PORE, SEEPS SLOWLY INTO SHRIEK... MOVING FROM THE CROWN OF HER HEAD
...DOWN THROUGH HER ENTIRE BODY.
SHE FEELS IT PERMEATE HER ON A CELLULAR LEVEL...FILLING EVERY ATOM OF HER BEING WITH...

...FORGIVENESS?
YOU FORGIVE ME...
...AFTER ALL I'VE DONE TO YOU?
MY LIGHT CAN HEAL, SHRIEK. MY LIGHT CAN BRING YOU UP, OUT OF THE DARKNESS.
BUT I CAN'T DO IT ALONE.
YOU HAVE TO WANT IT.
YOU HAVE TO HELP ME.
... I...

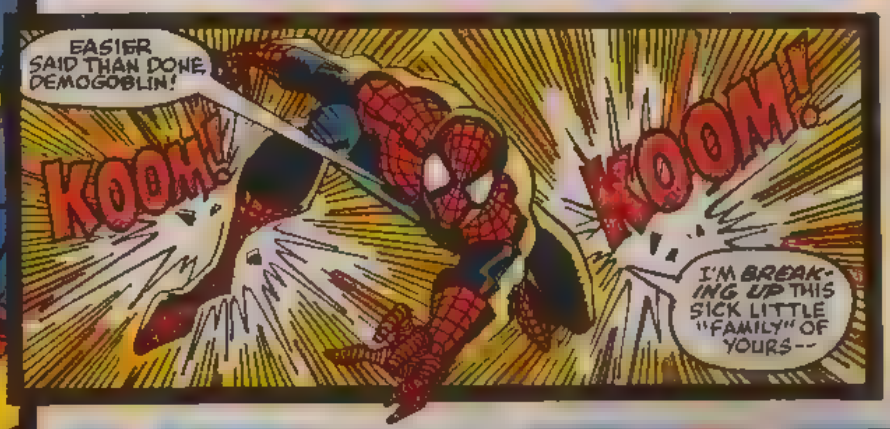
I HATE YOU!
KO-OM
GOOD THING MY DANGER-SENSE KICKED IN--OR DAGGER'D BE DEAD ALL OVER AGAIN!
LOOK AT HER--SHE CAN HARDLY STAY CONSCIOUS!
SHE GAVE EVERYTHING SHE HAD TO TRY AND REACH SHRIEK... TRY AND HELP THE ONE PERSON IN THE WORLD SHE SHOULD HATE MORE THAN ANY OTHER!
AND MAYBE SHE COULD HAVE--WITH A LITTLE MORE POWER...A LITTLE MORE TIME--!
DAGGER--I JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW--
--THAT YOU'RE MY HERO!
BUT...I FAILED...
NO, YOU DIDN'T FAIL--
--YOU PROVED WE CAN WIN.
LADIES... GENTLEMEN--
--I THINK IT'S TIME.

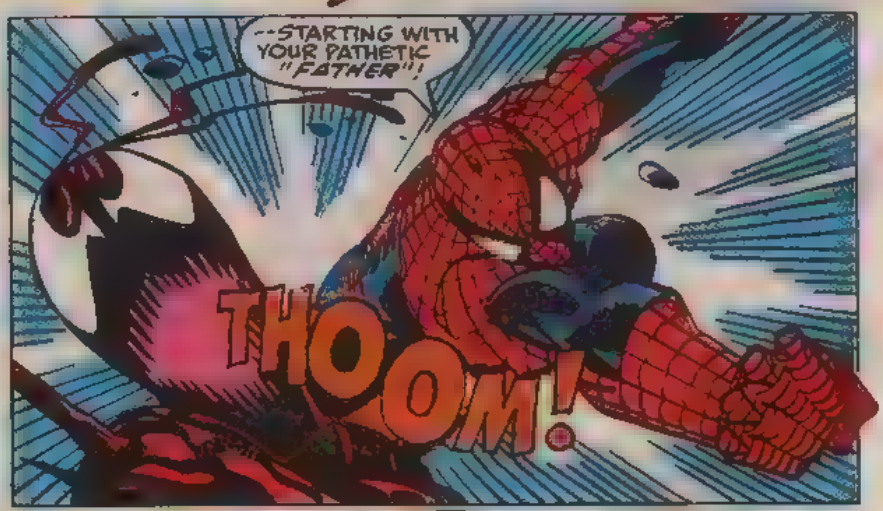
...HELLO, DEAR, HOW'RE YOU FEEL-ING?
DISGUSTING.
SOUNDS RIGHT.
Y'KNOW, I WAS GETTING WORRIED ABOUT YOU FOR A MINUTE THERE--
LOOKED LIKE YOU WERE GOING TO SWITCH SIDES--
SHE SHOWED ME SOMETHING... INSIDE MYSELF... THAT I HAVEN'T SEEN FOR SO LONG--
WELL, AT LEAST YOU CAME TO YOUR SENSES.
YOU DID COME TO YOUR SENSES, DIDN'T YOU?
O-OF COURSE. I... I WON'T BE FOOLED BY HER--
--OR BY ANY OF THOSE WHITE HATS!
I'VE BEEN LIED TO... ONE TOO MANY TIMES!
GOOOOD!
THEN--WE'RE A HAPPY DYSFUNCTIONAL FAMILY AGAIN!
WHICH MEANS WE CAN GO MASSACRE THOSE SELF-RIGHTEOUS PEACOCKS AND GET ON WITH OUR--
WHAT?!!
THEY--
--RAN AWAY?!?!
THEY RAN AWAY!!
HAHAHAHA--
NOT ALL OF US, CARNAGE--
HUH?!

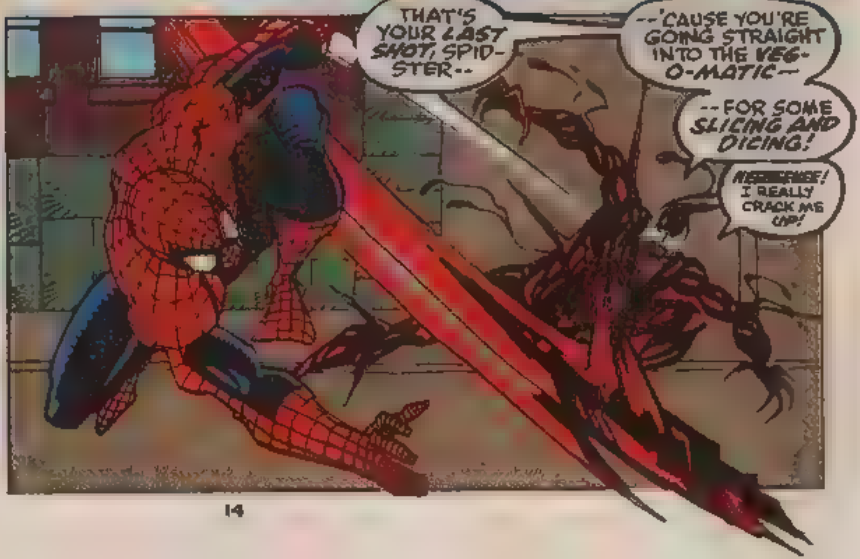
THE OTHERS MIGHT'VE DECIDED THAT YOU WERE TOO MUCH TO HANDLE--
--BUT SPIDER-MAN'S NO QUITTER!
AND MAYBE THIS IS THE WAY IT SHOULD BE-- JUST ME,.. ALONE AGAINST THE FOUR OF YOU,
AFTER ALL, I'M THE ONE WHO'S STOPPED YOU BEFORE--
--AND I'M THE ONE WHO'S GONNA PUT YOU AWAY AGAIN!

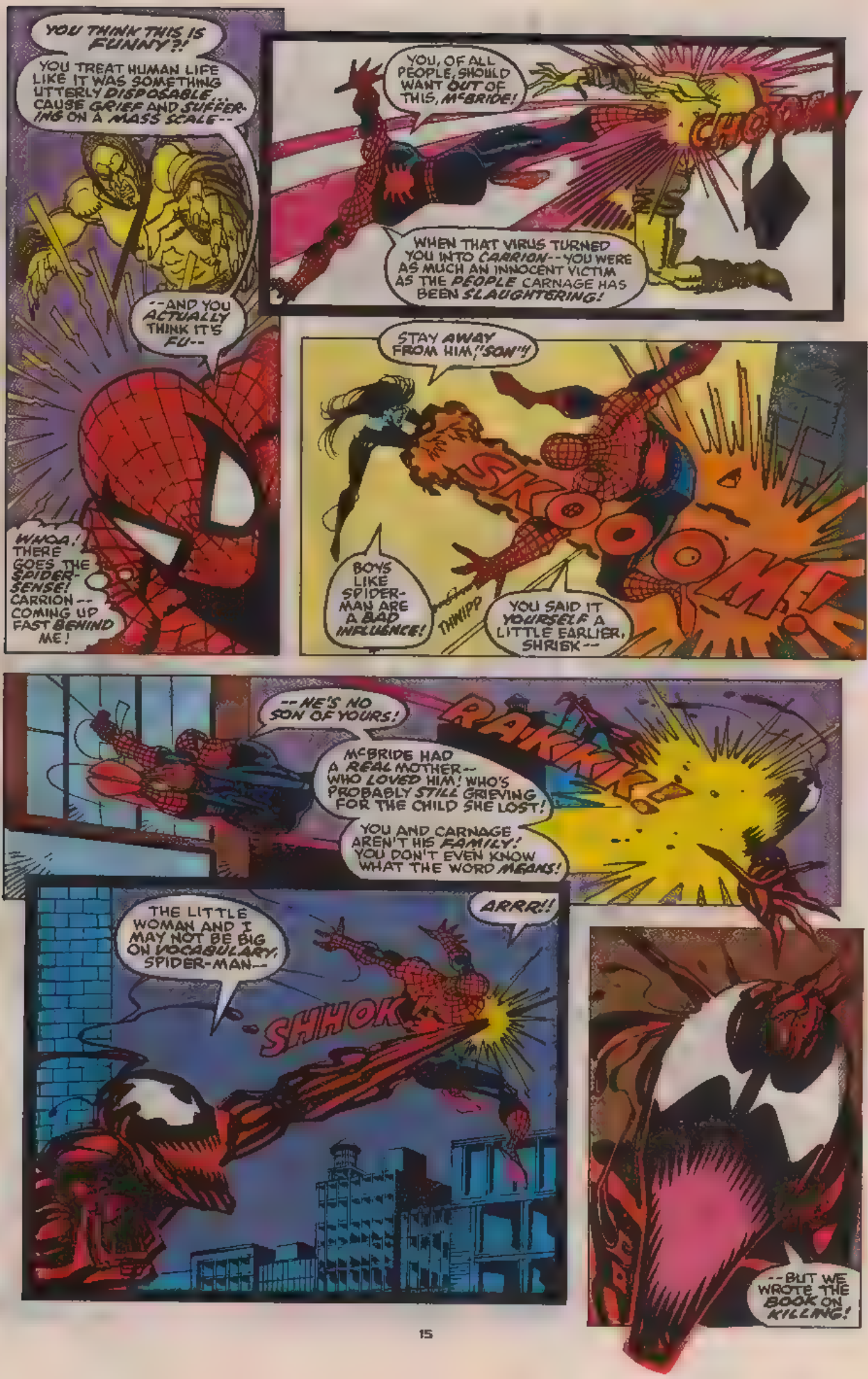

YOU MAY HAVE PUT THE REST OF MY FAMILY AWAY--BUT YOU'VE NEVER STOPPED ME! AND I'M GOING TO--
SHUT UP, SHRIEK! AFTER THE PATHETIC DISPLAY YOU PUT ON TODAY, I DON'T WANT TO HEAR ANOTHER WORD OUT OF YOU!
CONSIDERING THE WAY YOU CARRIED ON WHEN FIRE-STAR NEARLY FRIED YOU*--
--YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF NERVE TALKING TO ME LIKE THAT--
WHY DON'T YOU BOTH SHUT YOUR MOUTHS--
*LAST ISSUE. --ROB.

--AND GET TO THE BUSINESS AT HAND--
THE MURDER OF SPIDER-MAN!


EASIER SAID THAN DONE, DEMOGOBLIN!
KOOH!
KOOM!
I'M BREAK-ING UP THIS SICK LITTLE "FAMILY" OF YOURS--


--STARTING WITH YOUR PATHETIC "FATHER"!
THOOM!

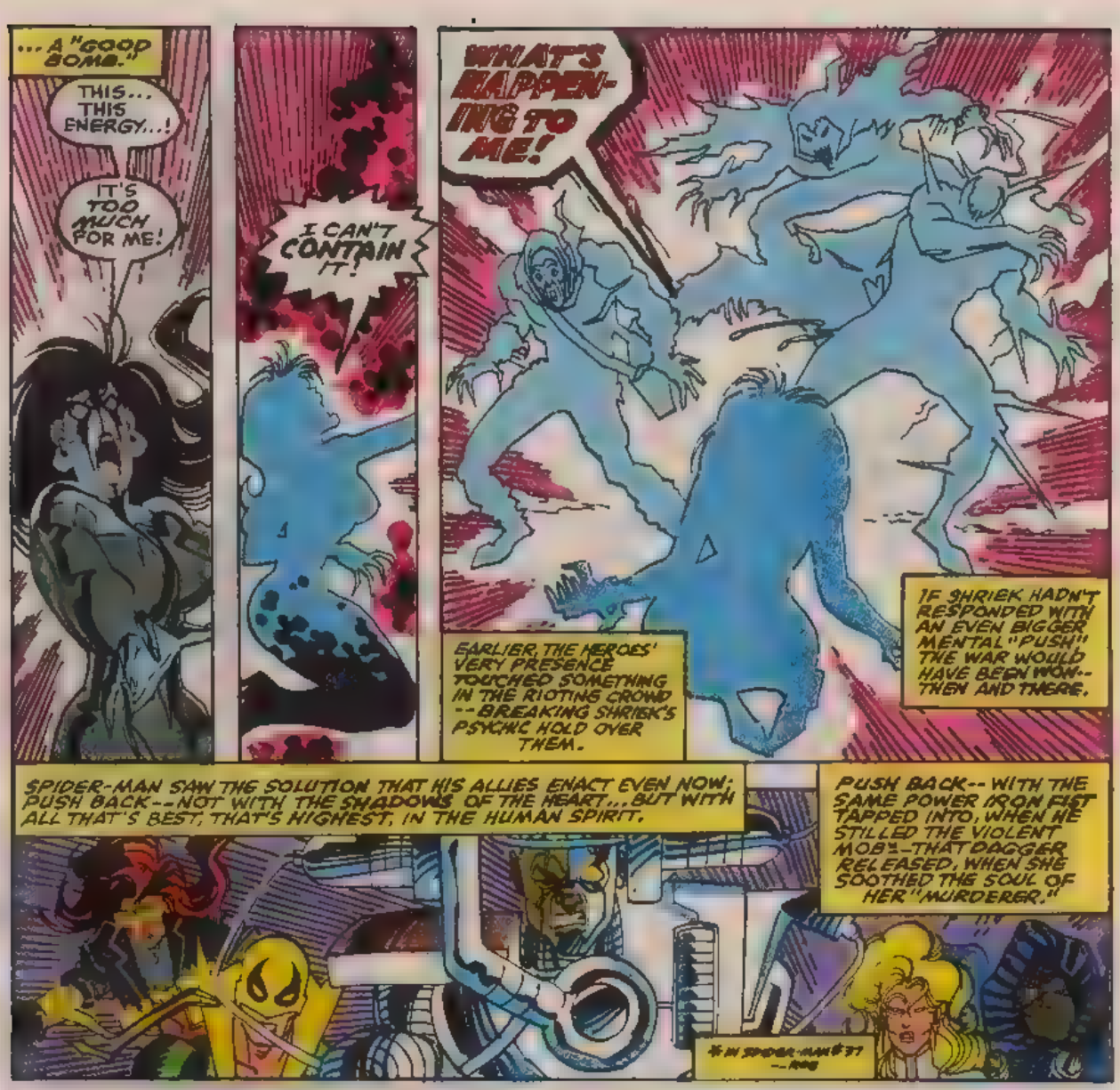

THAT'S YOUR LAST SHOT, SPID-STER--
--'CAUSE YOU'RE GOING STRAIGHT INTO THE VEG-O-MATIC--
--FOR SOME SLICING AND DICING!
HEH-HEH-HEH! I REALLY CRACK ME UP!

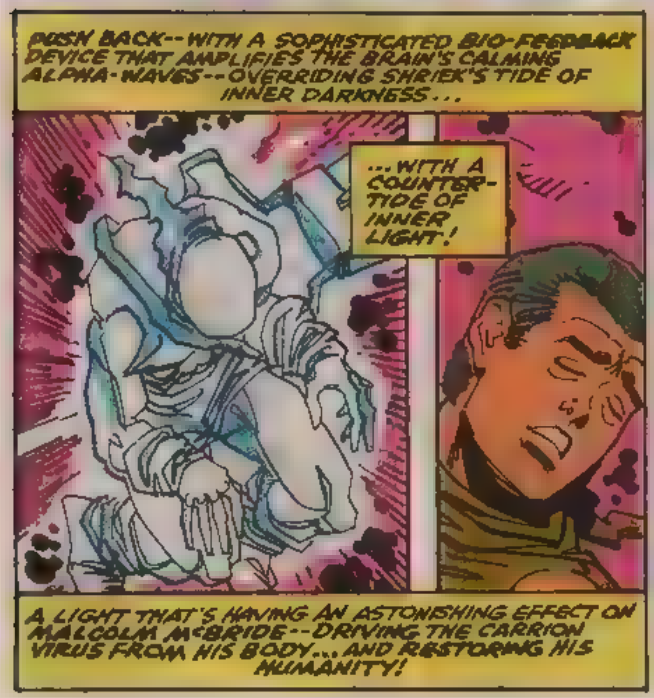

YOU THINK THIS IS FUNNY?!
YOU TREAT HUMAN LIFE LIKE IT WAS SOMETHING UTTERLY DISPOSABLE... CAUSE GRIEF AND SUFFERING ON A MASS SCALE--
--AND YOU ACTUALLY THINK IT'S FU--
WHOA! THERE GOES THE SPIDER-SENSE! CARRION--COMING UP FAST BEHIND ME!
YOU, OF ALL PEOPLE, SHOULD WANT OUT OF THIS, McBRIDE!
CHOOM
WHEN THAT VIRUS TURNED YOU INTO CARRION--YOU WERE AS MUCH AN INNOCENT VICTIM AS THE PEOPLE CARNAGE HAS BEEN SLAUGHTERING!
STAY AWAY FROM HIM, "SON"!
SKOOOM!
BOYS LIKE SPIDER-MAN ARE A BAD INFLUENCE!
THWIPP
YOU SAID IT YOURSELF A LITTLE EARLIER, SHRIEK--
--HE'S NO SON OF YOURS!
RAKKK!
McBRIDE HAD A REAL MOTHER--WHO LOVED HIM! WHO'S PROBABLY STILL GRIEVING FOR THE CHILD SHE LOST!
YOU AND CARNAGE AREN'T HIS FAMILY! YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THE WORD MEANS!
THE LITTLE WOMAN AND I MAY NOT BE BIG ON VOCABULARY, SPIDER-MAN--
ARRR!!
SHHOK!
--BUT WE WROTE THE BOOK ON KILLING!

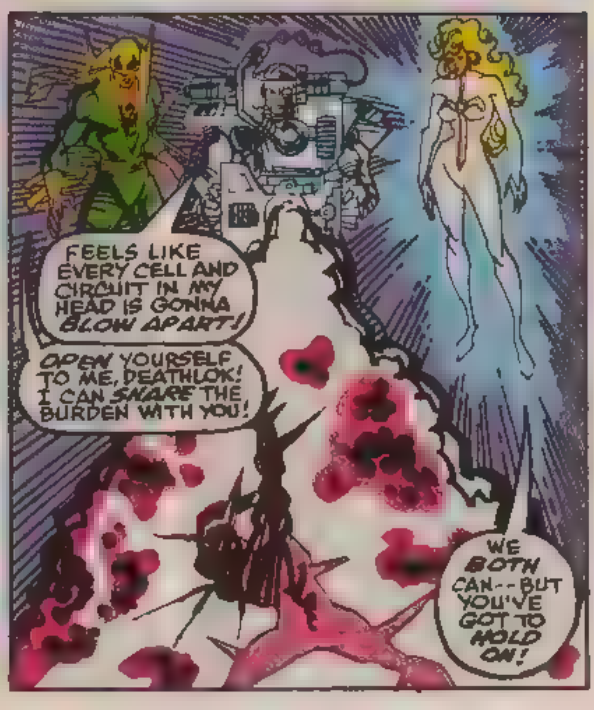
I WANT THIS TURKEY DEAD--
--NOW--
--AND SAVE THE BONES FOR ME!
SH-
GIVE IT YOUR BEST SHOT--
--BUT... EVEN IF YOU DO KILL ME--
KOOM!
--YOU CAN'T KILL--
KA-
OOM!
--WHAT I BELIEVE!
WO
OM!
AH... EVEN WITH HIS LAST BREATH-- HE'S DOING HIS LEO BUSCAGLIA IMPERSONATION!
WANNA HUG US GOODBYE, SPIDEY... BEFORE WE PEEL THE SKIN OFF YOU?
LAUGH.. ALL YOU WANT BUT YOU SAW.. WHAT MADDY DID...
THE DADDY... IN A SINGLE HUMAN HEART
... WAS MORE THAN SHRIEK.. MORE THAN ANY OF YOU-
--COULD POSSIBLY HANDLE.

WELL SAID! WELL SAID!
AND A BIGGER BUNCH OF GARBAGE I'VE NEVER HEARD!
I THINK IT'S TIME YOU SAW THE WORLD THE WAY WE DO, BUG-EYES! TIME YOU STOPPED LIVING IN A FOOL'S PARADISE AND TOOK A LONG HARD LOOK AT REALITY!
SHRIEK, M'DARLIN'--THIS BOY NEEDS A BLAST FROM YOUR PSYCHIC SHOTGUN--
--AN' GIVE 'IM BOTH BARRELS!
SHREEAK!
FEEL IT, SPIDERMEISTER? ALL THE TWISTED, UGLY FILTH IN YOUR OWN SOUL?
...NO...
ALL THE SHAME AND SELF-DISGUST? ALL THE ANGER? ALL THE PAIN?
NO!!
THIS DARKNESS IS NOTHING NEW TO HIM.
PETER PARKER'S NOT THE KIND OF MAN WHO HIDES FROM HIS INNER DEMONS.
HE'S FACED HIS PAIN, TIME AND AGAIN--AND THOUGH HE'S SOMETIMES BEEN BEATEN BY IT... HE'S NEVER BEEN DEFEATED.
NOT BECAUSE HE'S SUPERHUMAN--BUT BECAUSE HE'S ALL TOO HUMAN. BECAUSE THE PEOPLE DEAREST TO HIM HAVE SHOWN HIM, FIRST-HAND...
...THE REDEMPTIVE POWER OF THE ONE EMOTION CLETUS KASADY FINDS IT IMPOSSIBLE TO [redacted].
LOVE.
THE CARNAGES OF THE WORLD MOCK AT THE VERY CONCEPT; THEY CALL LOVE A DELUSION..., A LIE. A SIGN OF [redacted]ESS.
WHEN, IN TRUTH, IT CONTAINS POWER ENOUGH...

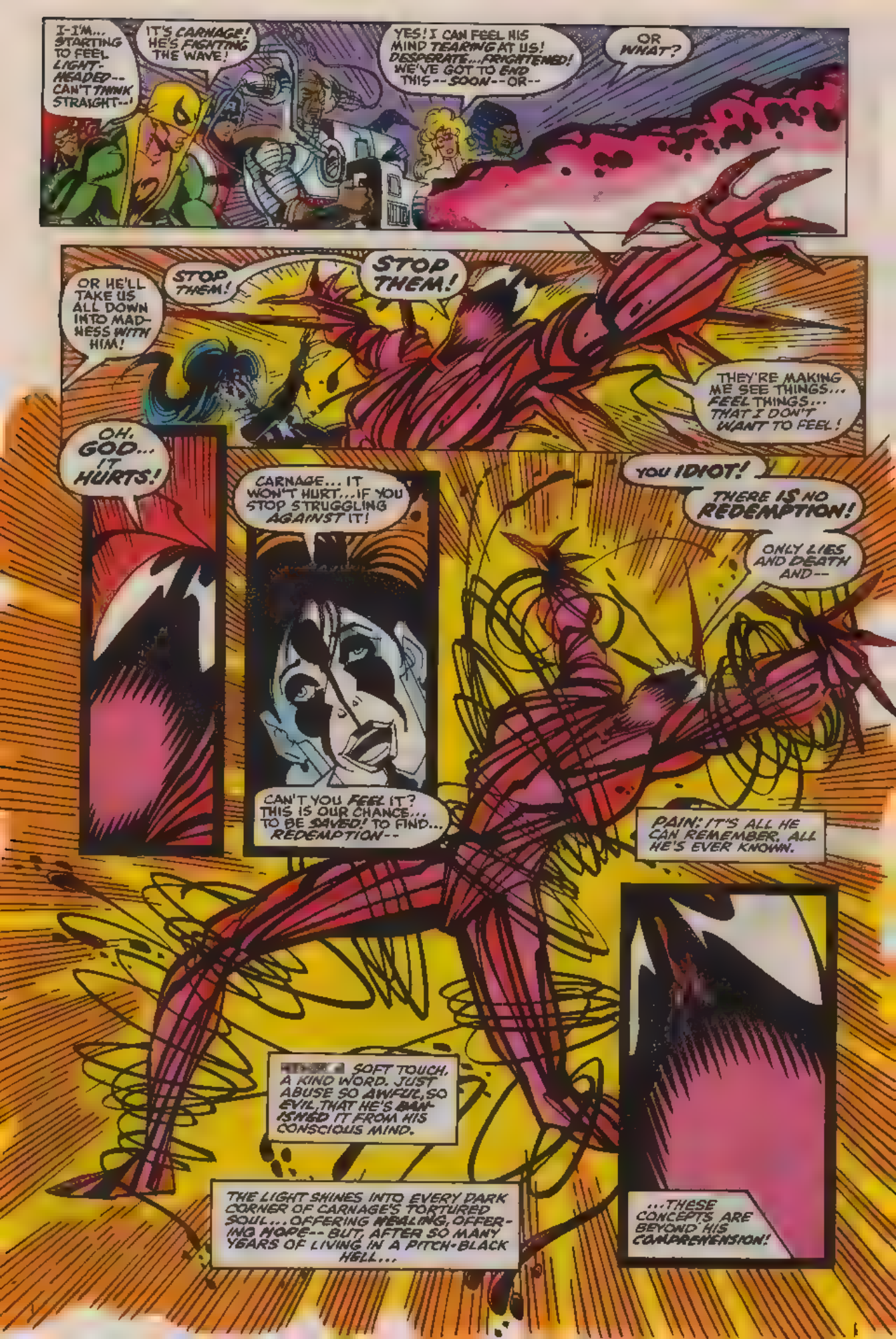
...TO SHAKE THE WORLD!
HMMMMMMMMMMMM
WHA--?!
WHAT HIT ME?
SO YOU GUYS FINALLY GOT HERE --!
I TOLD YOU I'D BUY US SOME TIME ..
BUT THIS IS RIDICULOUS!
IF THERE'S A REPLY, IT'S LOST IN THE WHINE OF THE EXTRAORDINARY APPARATUS CYBERLINKED INTO DEATHLOK'S CIRCUITRY.
THE SCIENTISTS AT THE NEARBY RAND CORPORATION LABORATORY WHERE IT WAS HASTILY CREATED DUBBED IT AN ALPHA MAGNI-/ILLUMINIZOR...
...BUT IT'S PURPOSE IS FAR SIMPLER THAN THE NAME IMPLIES.
HMMMM
SPIDER-MAN-- WHO CONCEIVED THE IDEA AND DISPATCHED THE OTHERS TO SEE TO ITS COMPLETION-- CALLED IT, ONLY HALF-JOKINGLY...


...A "GOOP BOMB."
THIS... THIS ENERGY...!
IT'S TOO MUCH FOR ME!
I CAN'T CONTAIN IT!
WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME!
EARLIER, THE HEROES' VERY PRESENCE TOUCHED SOMETHING IN THE RIOTING CROWD -- BREAKING SHRIEK'S PSYCHIC HOLD OVER THEM.
IF SHRIEK HADN'T RESPONDED WITH AN EVEN BIGGER MENTAL "PUSH" THE WAR WOULD HAVE BEEN WON -- THEN AND THERE.
SPIDER-MAN SAW THE SOLUTION THAT HIS ALLIES ENACT EVEN NOW: PUSH BACK -- NOT WITH THE SHADOWS OF THE HEART... BUT WITH ALL THAT'S BEST, THAT'S HIGHEST, IN THE HUMAN SPIRIT.
PUSH BACK -- WITH THE SAME POWER IRON FIST TAPPED INTO, WHEN HE STILLED THE VIOLENT MOB -- THAT DAGGER RELEASED, WHEN SHE SOOTHED THE SOUL OF HER "MURDERER."
* IN SPIDER-MAN #37 -- RMG


PUSH BACK -- WITH A SOPHISTICATED BIO-FEEDBACK DEVICE THAT AMPLIFIES THE BRAIN'S CALMING ALPHA-WAVES -- OVERRIDING SHRIEK'S TIDE OF INNER DARKNESS...
...WITH A COUNTER-TIDE OF INNER LIGHT!
A LIGHT THAT'S HAVING AN ASTONISHING EFFECT ON MALCOLM McBRIDE -- DRIVING THE CARRION VIRUS FROM HIS BODY... AND RESTORING HIS HUMANITY!


FEELS LIKE EVERY CELL AND CIRCUIT IN MY HEAD IS GONNA BLOW APART!
OPEN YOURSELF TO ME, DEATHLOK! I CAN SHARE THE BURDEN WITH YOU!
WE BOTH CAN -- BUT YOU'VE GOT TO HOLD ON!

FEELING THE SLIGHTEST FLUCTUATION IN THE ALPHA-FIELD--
--DEMOGOBLIN CONCENTRATES-- USING ALL THE SUPERNATURAL POWERS AT HIS COMMAND--
--TO BREAK FREE!
THE TRUTH IS-- HE'S RUNNING FROM HIM-SELF.
HE VIEWS HIMSELF AS AN AGENT OF HEAVEN, HIS VERY EXISTENCE DEVOTED TO THE EXTERMINATION OF SIN.
BUT A LIGHT HAS PIERCED HIS VEILS OF SELF-DECEPTION TODAY... ILLUMINATED-- HOW-EVER BRIEFLY-- HIS DARK HEART... AND, AT LONG LAST--
THWIP
--HE SEES WHERE THE SIN TRULY LIES.
KOOM!
YOU DON'T THINK I'D LET YOU GET AWAY... AFTER ALL I'VE BEEN THROUGH TODAY..
DR
YOU!
I MAY BE WEAK.. FROM THAT ABOMINABLE DEVICE OF YOURS--
--BUT I'VE STILL GOT STRENGTH ENOUGH TO--
HE'S DOWN-- AND A GOOD THING, TOO!
I'M SO BEATEN UP, HE COULD'VE TAKEN ME OUT JUST BY BREATHING ON ME!


I-I'M... STARTING TO FEEL LIGHT-HEADED-- CAN'T THINK STRAIGHT--!
IT'S CARNAGE! HE'S FIGHTING THE WAVE!
YES! I CAN FEEL HIS MIND TEARING AT US! DESPERATE...FRIGHTENED! WE'VE GOT TO END THIS--SOON--OR--
OR WHAT?
OR HE'LL TAKE US ALL DOWN INTO MADNESS WITH HIM!
STOP THEM!
STOP THEM!
THEY'RE MAKING ME SEE THINGS... FEEL THINGS... THAT I DON'T WANT TO FEEL!
OH, GOD... IT HURTS!
CARNAGE... IT WON'T HURT...IF YOU STOP STRUGGLING AGAINST IT!
CAN'T YOU FEEL IT? THIS IS OUR CHANCE... TO BE SAVED! TO FIND... REDEMPTION--
YOU IDIOT!
THERE IS NO REDEMPTION!
ONLY LIES AND DEATH AND--
PAIN: IT'S ALL HE CAN REMEMBER. ALL HE'S EVER KNOWN.
[redacted] SOFT TOUCH, A KIND WORD. JUST ABUSE SO AWFUL, SO EVIL, THAT HE'S BANISHED IT FROM HIS CONSCIOUS MIND.
THE LIGHT SHINES INTO EVERY DARK CORNER OF CARNAGE'S TORTURED SOUL... OFFERING HEALING, OFFERING HOPE-- BUT, AFTER SO MANY YEARS OF LIVING IN A PITCH-BLACK HELL...
...THESE CONCEPTS ARE BEYOND HIS COMPREHENSION!

CLETUS... TAKE MY HAND--!
TOGETHER... WE CAN FIND--
FA-KA-THOOM!

--REDEMPTION--

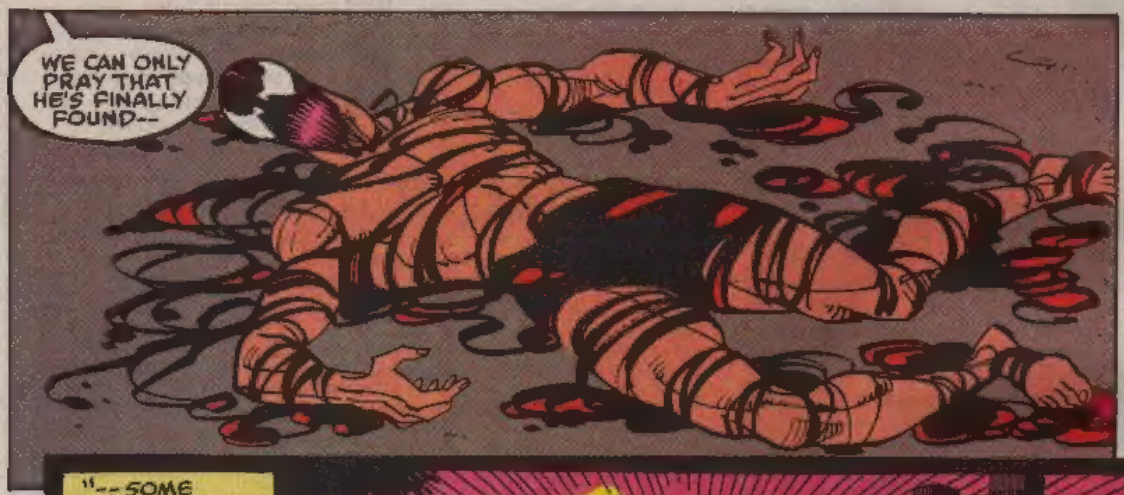
IT'S OVER.

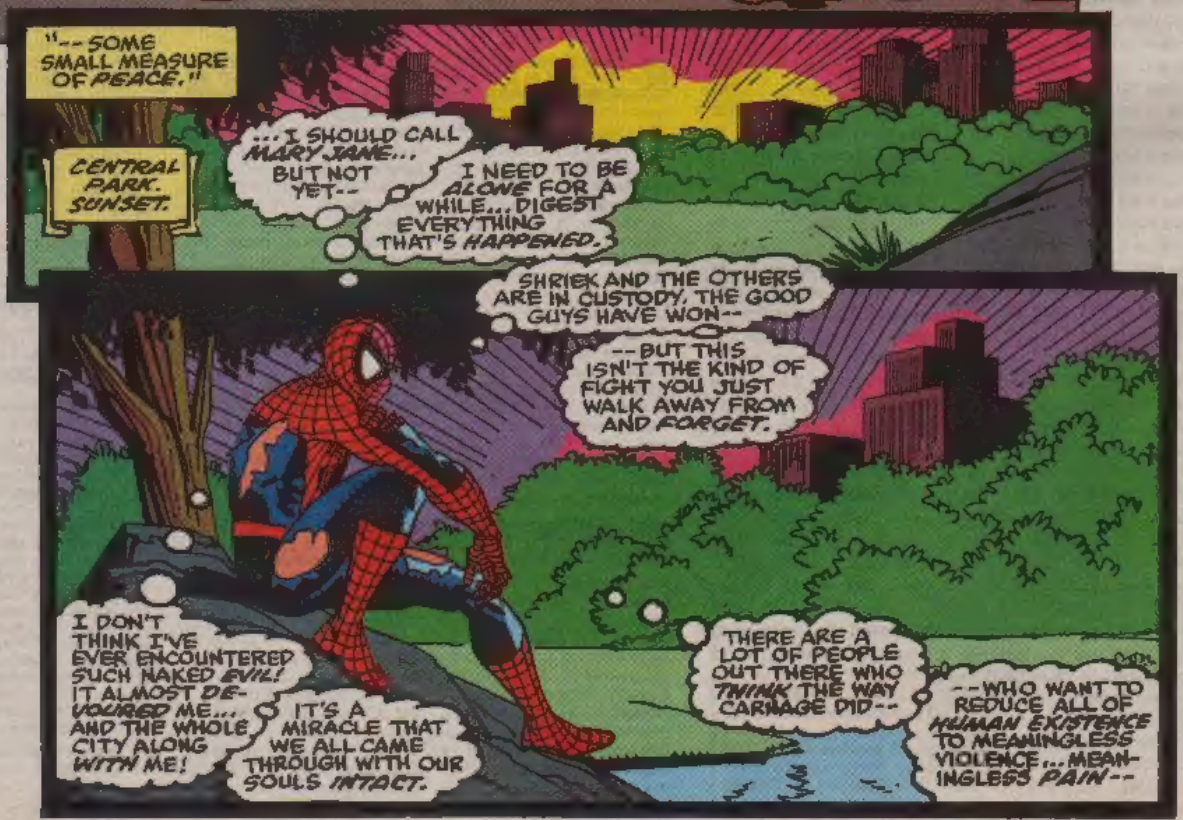
BUT-- THAT EX-PLOSION--
IT WAS CARNAGE'S CONSCIOUS-NESS STRUGGLING AGAINST THE WAVE! BOOSTED BY SHRIEK'S POWER, IT CAUSED A KIND OF... PSYCHIC FEEDBACK! BLEW THE ILLUMINIZOR RIGHT OUT--
--AND ALMOST TOOK US WITH IT!
WHAT ABOUT SHRIEK? HOW IS SHE?
AND I'LL DO EVERY-THING IN MY POWER TO KEEP ON REACHING HER--
JUST STUNNED, I... THINK WE ACTUALLY REACHED HER THERE--AT THE END--

WHAT... WHAT HAPPENED? LAST THING I REMEMBER I WAS IN PROFESSOR WARREN'S LAB AND--
PLENTY OF TIME FOR EXPLANATIONS LATER, MALCOLM, RIGHT NOW WE'VE GOTTA GET YOU TO A DOCTOR--
--AND MAKE SURE THE CARRION VIRUS REALLY IS GONE!
SPIDER-MAN!

WHAT'S UP, FIST?
IT'S CARNAGE!
OUT LIKE A LIGHT, HUH?
IT'S A LITTLE MORE... SERIOUS THAN THAT.

HE'S DEAD.
WHAT?!
THIS-- THIS WASN'T SUPPOSED TO HAP-PEN!
THE WHOLE POINT OF WHAT WE DID...
...WAS TO STOP THEM WITHOUT STOOPING TO THEIR METHODS--
AND WE DID. CARNAGE'S DEATH WASN'T INTENTIONAL... IT WAS AN ACCIDENT--
--WHICH IS MORE THAN WE CAN SAY FOR HIS VICTIMS.
BUT... WE KILLED HIM--
NO, SPIDER-MAN... HIS OWN RE-SISTANCE KILLED HIM.
TODAY YOU WERE WILLING TO DIE FOR YOUR IDEALS. I SUPPOSE IN HIS OWN INSANE WAY--
--CAR-NAGE WAS WILLING TO DIE FOR HIS.


WE CAN ONLY PRAY THAT HE'S FINALLY FOUND--


"--SOME SMALL MEASURE OF PEACE."
CENTRAL PARK. SUNSET.
...I SHOULD CALL MARY JANE... BUT NOT YET--
I NEED TO BE ALONE FOR A WHILE... DIGEST EVERYTHING THAT'S HAPPENED.
SHRIEK AND THE OTHERS ARE IN CUSTODY. THE GOOD GUYS HAVE WON--
--BUT THIS ISN'T THE KIND OF FIGHT YOU JUST WALK AWAY FROM AND FORGET.
I DON'T THINK I'VE EVER ENCOUNTERED SUCH NAKED EVIL! IT ALMOST DE-VOURED ME... AND THE WHOLE CITY ALONG WITH ME!
IT'S A MIRACLE THAT WE ALL CAME THROUGH WITH OUR SOULS INTACT.
THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE OUT THERE WHO THINK THE WAY CARNAGE DID--
--WHO WANT TO REDUCE ALL OF HUMAN EXISTENCE TO MEANINGLESS VIOLENCE... MEAN-INGLESS PAIN--

THANK GOD AUNT MAY AND UNCLE BEN RAISED ME TO SEE THE WORLD DIFFERENTLY--
--AND THANK GOD THEIR VISION WAS VINDICATED TODAY.
OKAY, PARKER--ENOUGH PROFUNDITIES PONDERED! YOU'VE GOT A VERY BEAUTIFUL--AND VERY WORRIED--WIFE WAITING AT HOME FOR YOU--
--SO GET YOUR WEBBED BUTT IN GEAR AND--
SUR-PRIIIISE!
VENOM!
IN ALL THE CONFUSION--I'D FORGOTTEN ALL ABOUT YOU!
I'LL JUST BET YOU DID!
YOU LEFT US THERE TO BE TORTURED BY OUR "SON"--
--SO YOU AND THOSE OTHER GLORY HOUNDS COULD GRANDSTAND AND SAVE THE DAY!
BUT YOU WANT TO KNOW WHAT REALLY TICKS US OFF? YOU CHEATED US--!
CARNAGE WAS OURS! WE WANTED TO RIP HIS HEART OUT!
YOU CHEATED--
VENOM!
--US--!
YOU'RE STILL HURTING FROM WHAT CARNAGE DID TO YOU!
LET ME HELP YOU... GET YOU TO A HOSPITAL AND--
DON'T WANT YOUR HELP... DON'T NEED IT--!
ALL WE WANT...IS CARNAGE... AND YOU STOLE HIM FROM US!

AWWW--
--AIN'T THAT SWEET?
HE MISSES ME!
WELL, DON'T CRY, DADDY DEAREST--
--'CAUSE YOUR SONNY BOY --
NO!
--IS ALIVE AND WELL!
YES!
"MAXIMUM CARNAGE" CONCLUDES IN SPIDER-MAN UNLIMITED*2! ON SALE IN ONE WEEK! (DO WE REALLY HAVE TO ADVISE YOU NOT TO MISS IT?)
AND BE HERE IN ONE MONTH FOR THE RETURN OF THE SUPER-POWERED TOMBSTONE!